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May 22, 2012

Mr. Dave Turner
Division of Water Pollution Control
Mining Section
3711 Middlebrook Pike
Knoxville, Tennessee 37921

RE: Request Termination of Permits No.3015,
NPDES Permit No.TN0071986 and Permit No.
3045,NPDES Permit No.TN0072044,Claiborne
County,Tennessee.

Dear Mr.Turner:

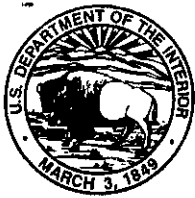
Appolo Fuels,Inc.,request the termination of Permits No.3015,NPDES Permit No.TN0071986 and Permit No.3045,NPDES Permit No.TN0072044,located in Claiborne County,Tennessee.The Permittee received the approval letter for a Phase No.III Bond Release on Permit No.3015,Increments No.1,No.2 and No.4 dated May 15,2012.Also the Permittee received the approval letter for a Phase No.III Bond Release on Permit No. 3045,Increments No.1,No.2 and No.3 dated May 15,2012.These Increments where the final Increments for both permits to receive the final Bond Releases.

For these reasons,the permittee request the final termination of the above listed permits.If any additional information is needed,please contact me (606) 248-2066.

Sincerely,



Leonard B.Thompson
Engineering Manager



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710 Locust Street, Second Floor
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May 15, 2012

Mr. Gary Asher
Appolo Fuels, Inc.
P.O. Box 1727, West Winchester Ave. Extension
Middlesboro, KY 40965

Subject: Appolo Fuels, Inc.
Permit No. 3015 Increment No. 1
Claiborne County, Tennessee
Approval of Phase III Bond Release

Dear Mr. Asher:

The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) has evaluated your application for bond release which was accepted as complete on March 13, 2012. As part of this evaluation, a site visit was completed on May 7, 2012.

As required in the Tennessee Federal Program Regulations at 30 CFR, 942.800.40, OSM has found that the requirements for Phase III bond release have been accomplished. Please see the attached copy of the site evaluation report for additional information.

We are presently holding a Travelers casualty and Surety Company of America Surety Bond No. 64S101138735BCM, in the amount of \$8,400. The bond amount of \$8,400 is hereby released.

If you have questions regarding this action or if we may be of further assistance, please contact Mychal Dabney at (865) 545-4103, extension 158.

Sincerely,

Wilfred R. Klimas, Supervisor
Inspection Group

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Jonathan Burr
State of Tennessee
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3711 Middlebrook Pike
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Mr. Larry Richardson
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Subject: Appolo Fuels, Inc.
Permit No. 3015 Increment No. 2
Claiborne County, Tennessee
Approval of Phase III Bond Release

Dear Mr. Asher:

The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) has evaluated your application for bond release which was accepted as complete on March 13, 2012. As part of this evaluation, a site visit was completed on May 7, 2012.

As required in the Tennessee Federal Program Regulations at 30 CFR, 942.800.40, OSM has found that the requirements for Phase III bond release have been accomplished. Please see the attached copy of the site evaluation report for additional information.

We are presently holding a Travelers casualty and Surety Company of America Surety Bond No. 64S101138736BCM, in the amount of \$35,700. The bond amount of \$35,700 is hereby released.

If you have questions regarding this action or if we may be of further assistance, please contact Mychal Dabney at (865) 545-4103, extension 158.

Sincerely,

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Subject: Appolo Fuels, Inc.
Permit No. 3015 Increment No. 4
Claiborne County, Tennessee
Approval of Phase II and III Bond Release

Dear Mr. Asher:

The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) has evaluated your application for bond release which was accepted as complete on March 13, 2012. As part of this evaluation, a site visit was completed on May 7, 2012.

As required in the Tennessee Federal Program Regulations at 30 CFR, 942.800.40, OSM has found that the requirements for Phase II and III bond release have been accomplished. Please see the attached copy of the site evaluation report for additional information.

We are presently holding a Travelers casualty and Surety Company of America Surety Bond No. 64S104058373BCM, in the amount of \$21,800. The bond amount of \$21,800 is hereby released.

If you have questions regarding this action or if we may be of further assistance, please contact Mychal Dabney at (865) 545-4103, extension 158.

Sincerely,

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